

REMARKS

The undersigned wished to thank Primary Examiner O'Sullivan for the courtesy and helpful comments extended during their recent discussion of the application.

Claim 10 has been amended. No new matter has been added by virtue of the amendment.

Claim 10 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102 over Mulyuga et al. (Abstract of Russian article).

Claim 10 also was rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103 over Mulyuga et al. (Abstract).

As grounds for the rejection, it is stated that Mulyuga et al. "disclose N-4-methoxybenzoyl-N-benzylguanidine and N-chlorobenzoyl-N-benzylguanidine."

The rejections are traversed.

The cited compounds are not recited in claim 10. The compounds of claim 10 also are clearly structurally distinct from the cited compounds of the Mulyuga et al. document. For example, contrary to the statement set forth in the Office Action, the compounds of claim 10 are not "positional isomers" of the cited compounds.

The Mulyuga et al. documents also clearly does not suggest the therapeutic methods claimed herein.

In view thereof, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections are requested.

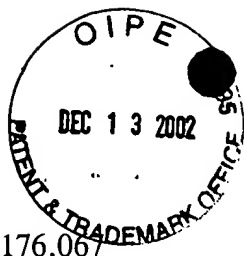
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It is believed the present application is in condition for immediate allowance, which action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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MARKED VERSION TO SHOW CHANGES

10. (twice amended) A compound that is:

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-methylthiophenyl)guanidine;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-iodophenyl)guanidine;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(1-naphthyl)guanidine;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(4-tertbutylphenyl)guanidine;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-1-indolinyldicarboximidamide;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-1-[7-(trifluoromethyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinoline] carboximidamide;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-1-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinoline)carboximidamide;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(2,5-dibromophenyl)guanidine;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropoxyphenyl)guanidine;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)guanidine;

N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(2-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;

N-(2,5-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-iodophenyl)guanidine;

N-(2,5-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-methylthiophenyl)guanidine;

N-(2,5-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-(1-naphthyl)guanidine;

N-(2,5-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;

N-(2,5-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;

N-(2,5-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-(4-tertbutylphenyl)guanidine;

N-(2,5-dichlorobenzoyl)-1-indolinyldicarboximidamide;

N-(2,5-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;

N-(phenylacetyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;

N-(phenylacetyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;

N-(phenylacetyl)-N'-(4-tert-butylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(phenylacetyl)-1-indolinylcarboximidamide;
N-(phenylacetyl)-1-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinoline)carboximidamide;
N-(phenylacetyl)-N'-(4-isopropoxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(phenylacetyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)-N'-methylguanidine;
N-(adamantan-1-carbonyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-iodophenyl)guanidine;
N-(adamantan-1-carbonyl)-N'-(1-naphthyl)guanidine;
N-(adamantan-1-carbonyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(adamantan-1-carbonyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(adamantan-1-carbonyl)-N'-(4-tert-butylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(adamantan-1-carbonyl)-1-(indolinyl)carboximidamide;
N-(adamantan-1-carbonyl)-1-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinolinyl)carboximidamide;
N-(adamantan-1-carbonyl)-N'-(2,5-dibromophenyl)guanidine;
N-(adamantan-1-carbonyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)-N'-methylguanidine;
N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-iodophenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-methylthiophenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-N'-(1-naphthyl)guanidine;
N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-N'-(4-tert-butylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-1-(indolinyl)carboximidamide;
N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-1-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinolinyl)carboximidamide;
N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-N'-(2,5-dibromophenyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-iodophenyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-(1-naphthyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;

N-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-(4-tert-butylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-1-(indoliny)lcarboximidamide;
N-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-1-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinoliny)lcarboximidamide;
N-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-iodophenyl)guanidine;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-methylthiophenyl)guanidine;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-(1-naphthyl)guanidine;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-(4-tert-butylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-1-(indoliny)lcarboximidamide;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-1-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinoliny)lcarboximidamide;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(furan-2-carbonyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-iodophenyl)guanidine;
N-(furan-2-carbonyl)-N'-methyl-N'-(3-methylthiophenyl)guanidine;
N-(furan-2-carbonyl)-N'-(1-naphthyl)guanidine;
N-(furan-2-carbonyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(furan-2-carbonyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(furan-2-carbonyl)-N'-(4-tert-butylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(furan-2-carbonyl)-1-(indoliny)lcarboximidamide;
N-(furan-2-carbonyl)-1-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinoliny)lcarboximidamide;
N-(furan-2-carbonyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)-N'-methylguanidine;
N-(pyridin-3-carbonyl)-N'-(1-naphthyl)guanidine;
N-(pyridin-3-carbonyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(pyridin-3-carbonyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(pyridin-3-carbonyl)-N'-(4-tert-butylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(pyridin-3-carbonyl)-1-(indoliny)lcarboximidamide;

N-(pyridin-3-carbonyl)-1-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinoliny)carboximidamide;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropoxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(1-naphthoyl)-N'-(4-benzyloxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(1-naphthoyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(1-naphthoyl)-N'-(4-isopropoxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4,5-trimethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4,5-trimethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropoxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-butoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-butoxybenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropoxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-butoxybenzoyl)-N'-(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-ethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(4-ethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropoxyphenyl)guanidine;
[N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(benzyl)guanidine;]
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(2-phenethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(4-phenylbutyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(3-phenylpropyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(1-naphthylmethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(2-(4-chlorophenyl)ethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(5-phenylpentyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(3-phenoxypropyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-(benzyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-N'-(3-phenylpropyl)guanidine;
[N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-N'-(benzyl)guanidine;]

N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-N'-(2-phenethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-chlorobenzoyl)-N'-(4-phenylbutyl)guanidine;
[N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(benzyl)guanidine;]
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-phenethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(4-phenylbutyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-(4-chlorophenylethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(1-naphthylmethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(3,4,5-trimethoxybenzyl)guanidine;
N-(4-ethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(4-phenylbutyl)guanidine;
N-(4-ethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-phenethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-ethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-(4-chlorophenyl)ethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-ethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(3-phenylpropyl)guanidine;
N-(4-ethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(1-naphthylmethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-butoxybenzoyl)-N'-(4-phenylbutyl)guanidine;
N-(4-butoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-phenethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-butoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-(4-chlorophenyl)ethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-butoxybenzoyl)-N'-(3-phenylpropyl)guanidine;
N-(4-butoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-(3-indole)ethyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4,5-trimethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(4-phenylbutyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4,5-trimethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-(3-indole)ethyl)guanidine;
N-(3,4,5-trimethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-phenylethyl)guanidine;
N-(1-naphthoyl)-N'-(benzyl)guanidine;
N-(1-naphthoyl)-N'-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)guanidine;
N-(1-naphthoyl)-N'-(2-phenylethyl)guanidine;
N-(1-naphthoyl)-N'-(4-phenylbutyl)guanidine;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-(benzyl)guanidine;

N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)guanidine;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-(2-phenylethyl)guanidine;
N-(thiophen-2-carbonyl)-N'-(4-phenylbutyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(cyclohexyl)-N''-methylguanidine;
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(4-phenylbutyl)-N''-methylguanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(5-phenylpentyl)guanidine;
N-(2-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(4-phenylbutyl)guanidine;
N-(2-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(2-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(2-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(4-isopropylphenyl)guanidine;
N-(2-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(3-phenylpropyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-phenoxypropyl)guanidine;
N-(4-butoxybenzoyl)-N'-(5-phenylpentyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methylbenzoyl)-N'-(2-phenoxyethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-methoxybenzoyl)-N'-(2-phenoxyethyl)guanidine;
N-(4-ethoxybenzoyl)-N'-[(2-benzylthio)ethyl]guanidine;
N-(4-ethoxybenzoyl)-N'-(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)guanidine;
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of any of said compounds.